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February 18, 2005

Honorable James H. Welsh Commissioner of Conservation Post Office Box 94275 Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804

Re: Pettit Formation, Reservoir A, Sand Unit A, Sibley Field, Webster Parish,

Louisiana

Dear Commissioner Welsh:

Application is hereby made on behalf Goldston Oil Corporation to the Commissioner of Conservation for the calling of a public hearing after legal notice to consider evidence relative to the issuance of orders pertaining to the following matters relative to the Pettit Formation, Reservoir A, Sand Unit A, Sibley Field, Webster Parish, Louisiana:

- 1. To designate the Goldston Oil Corporation Perryman No. 1 Sidetrack Well (SN 226721) as the substitute unit well for the PET RA SU A at the location shown on the plat attached hereto, in exception to the spacing provisions of Department of Conservation Order No. 148-B-12;
- Except insofar as set forth above, to confirm and continue in effect the PET RA SU
 A, as established by the 148-B Series of Office of Conservation orders;
- 3. To consider such matters as may be pertinent.

Attached hereto and made a part hereof is a revised plat outlining the PET RA SU A, Sibley Field, Webster Parish, Louisiana, reflecting location of the current unit well and the of the proposed substitute unit well. Also enclosed to the Commissioner of Conservation and District Manager

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ONLY is a list of Interested Owners, Interested Parties and Represented Parties to whom a copy of this notice is being sent. Copies of this list will be provided upon request. A reasonable effort has been made to ascertain the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Interested Parties or Represented Parties.

All pertinent data relating to this proposed application may be obtained **AT THE COST OF THE REQUESTING PARTY** from James F. Hardwick & Associates, P.O. Box 80972, Lafayette, Louisiana 70598, (337) 232-7756.

Also enclosed is our check payable to the Office of Conservation, representing the required hearing application fee.

Very truly yours,

STRAIN, DENNIS & BATES, L.L.P.

William S. Strain

WSS/cmf encls.

cc:

Mr. James C. Broussard

District Manager

Shreveport, Louisiana

Interested Owners

Represented Parties Interested Parties

